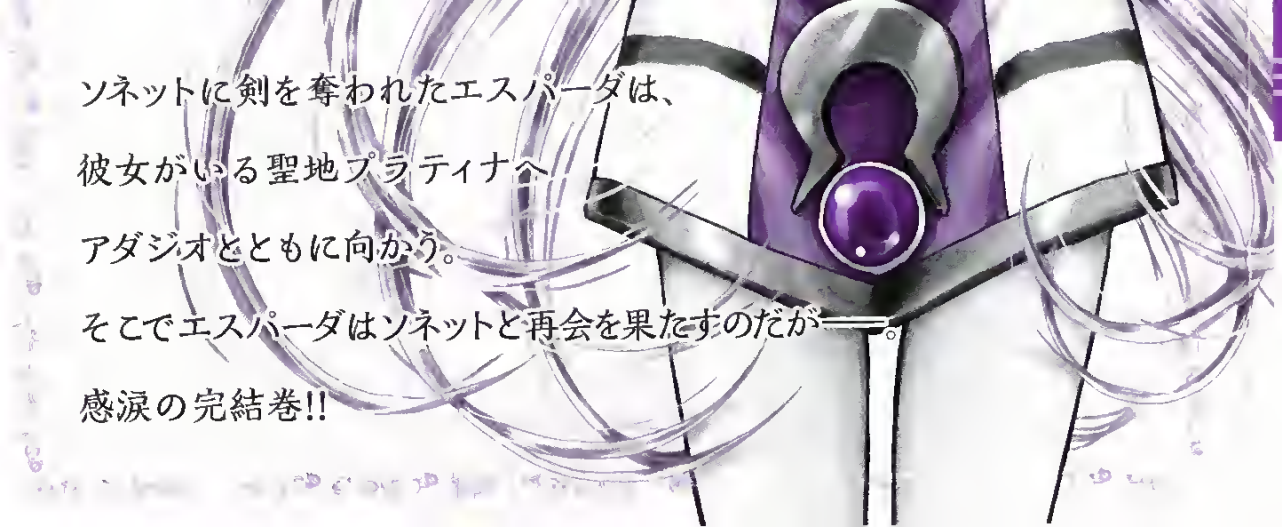

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アダジオとともに向かう。
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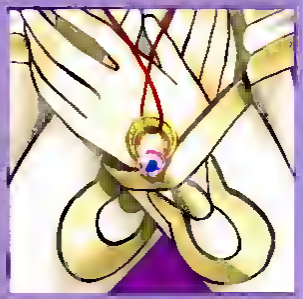

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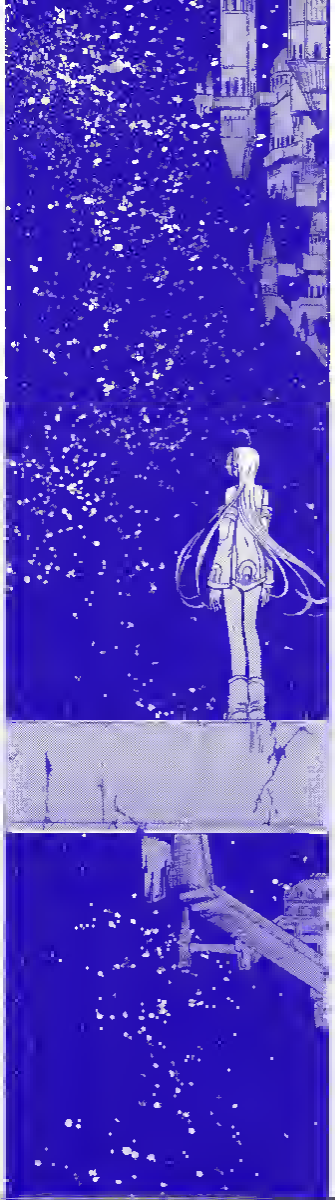
SONNET

age 14/height 155.3cm

A THIRD GENERATION REYVATEIL WHO WAS BORN IN THE UPPER WORLD (PLATINA). SHE WASN'T EVEN OLD ENOUGH TO UNDERSTAND WHAT HAD HAPPENED WHEN SHE LOST HER PARENTS, AND WAS TAKEN IN BY MASTICUS.
WHEN SHE CASTS SONG MAGIC, HER SONGS ARE OFTEN ABOUT BIRDS OR WINGS.



Sonnet NOTE

THIRD GENERATION REYVATEIL DON'T HAVE THE "HYMN CODE" WHICH IS USED BY THE TOWER TO IDENTIFY THEM. WHAT MAKES SONNET DIFFERENT IS THAT, AS SHE INHERITED THE BLOOD OF THE ANCIENT PURE BLOODED β-TYPE REYVATEIL, THE TOWER MISTOOK HERIDENTITY.

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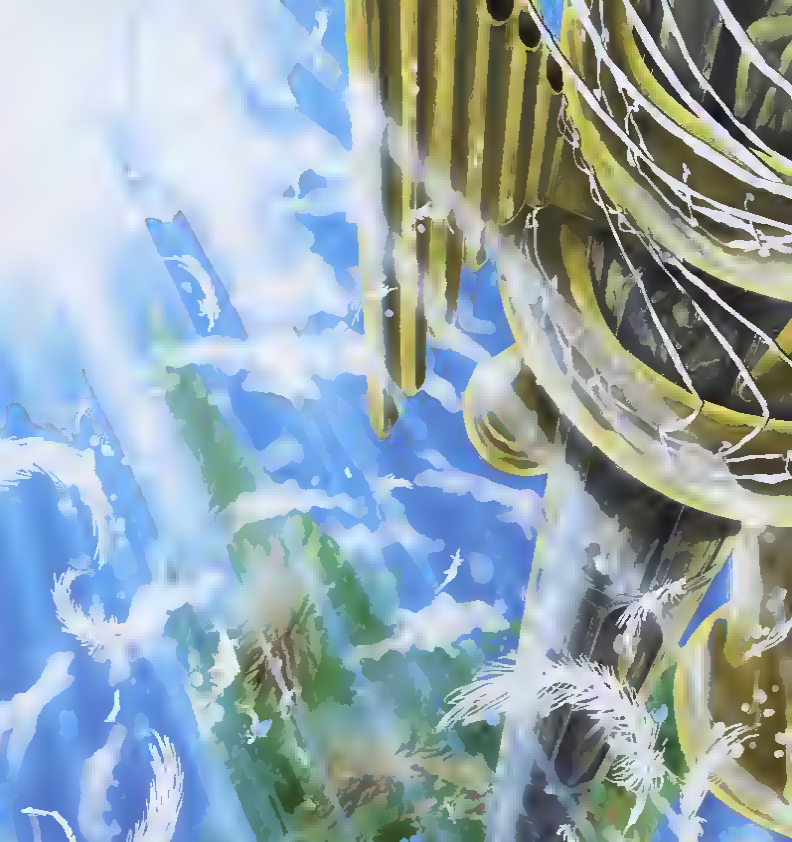

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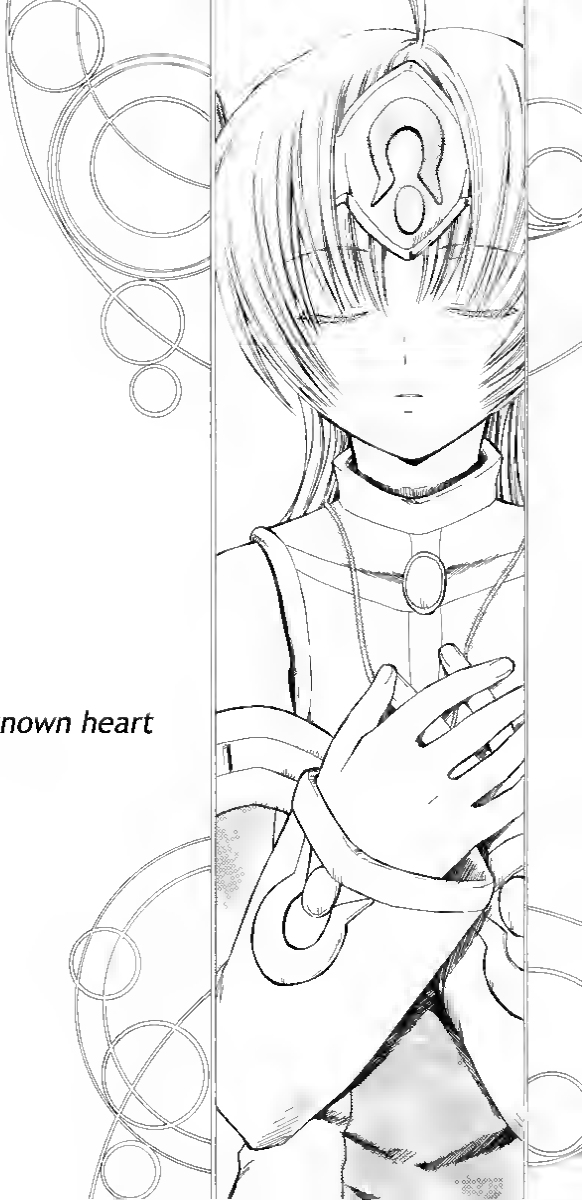
THE FEELINGS THAT OVERFLOWED WHEN THE HIDDEN REMNANTS BROKE
THE FOUNDATIONS WILL ALL BE OVERTURNED
THE TIME WHEN COMPLEX FEELINGS CONTROLLED MY HEART.
DESIRE AND DESPAIR
HATRED AND IMPATIENCE
THOSE WORDS ERASE ALL MY FEELINGS.
'IT'S OKAY TO THINK ABOUT YOURSELF, ISN'T IT?'
WHO WAS IT WHO SAID THAT?



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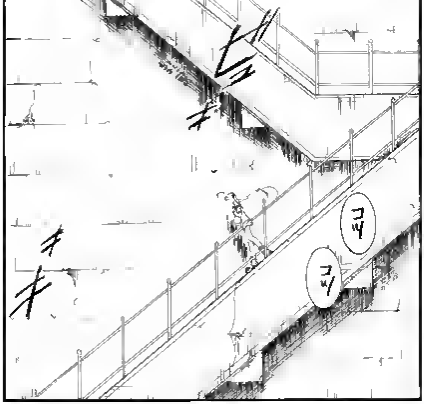
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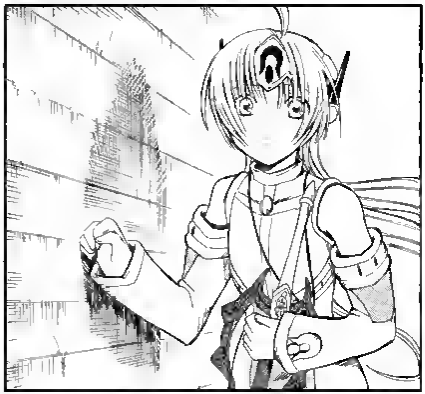

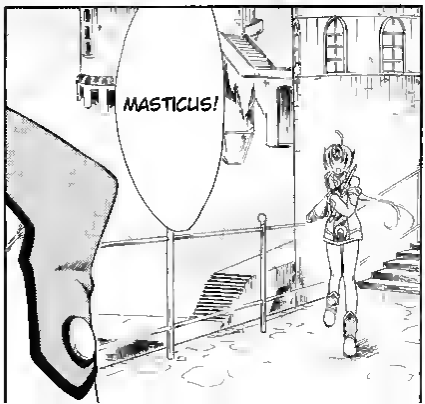
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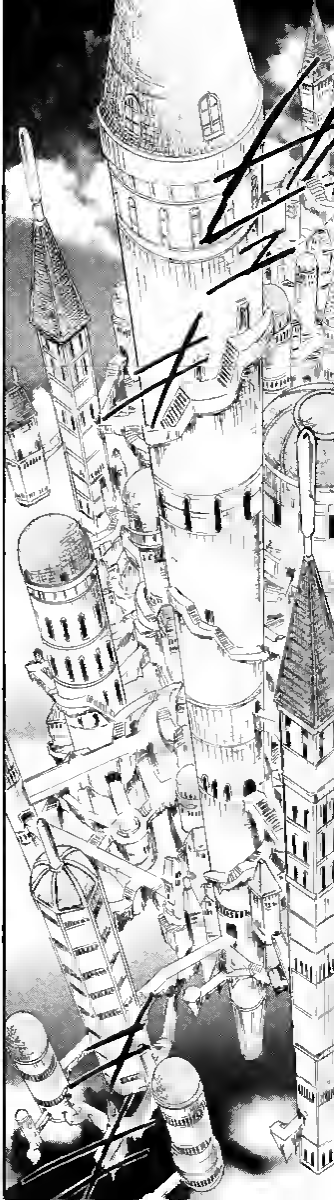
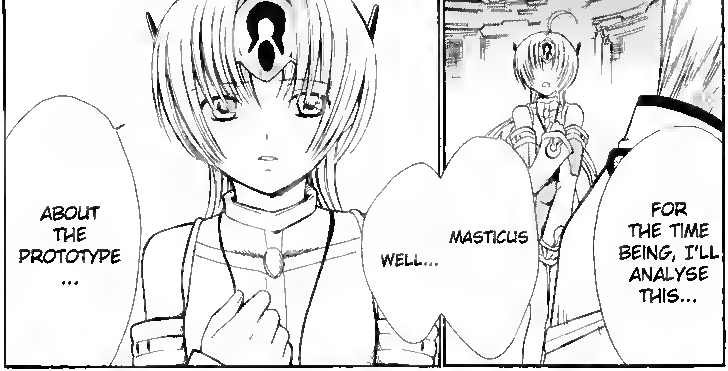


NOTHING HAPPENED TO YOU, RIGHT?
YES.
YOU'RE STILL OKAY, AREN'T YOU?
HEY, SONNET.
THAT'S A RELIEF ...
I MADE IT IN TIME ...
I'M GLAD
YOU CAME BACK SAFELY TOO.
MASTICUS...
COME, LET'S GO INSIDE FOR THE TIME BEING.

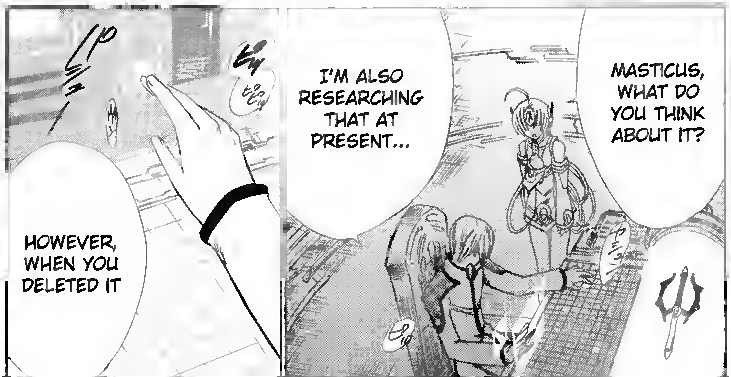
THIS IS THE HYMN CRYSTAL 'SOPORIFIC'
THIS IS...
.....
I SEE...
IT'S AS YOU SAID, THE CRYSTAL IS SEALED WITHIN THE SWORD.

WHAT IS IT?
UMM...
IF WE TRY TO FORCE IT OUT, IT MIGHT GET DAMAGED...
THIS WILL ...
CURE THE REVERIS DISEASE, WON'T IT?
THIS WILL...
RETURN EVERYTHING TO NORMAL...
IT'S OKAY.
THIS WAY, EVERYTHING WILL RETURN TO ITS TRUE FORM.

MASTICUS ...
I'M ANALYSING THE DATA NOW.
IT'S IMPORTANT THAT WE WAIT PATIENTLY.
Y-YES...
DO YOU UNDER-STAND?
IT'S USELESS IN THIS FORM.
HOWEVER, BECAUSE THERE ISN'T A STRAIGHTFORWARD WAY TO REMOVE THE HYMN CRYSTAL AT PRESENT
WE HAVE NO CHOICE BUT TO USE OUR LAST RESORT.

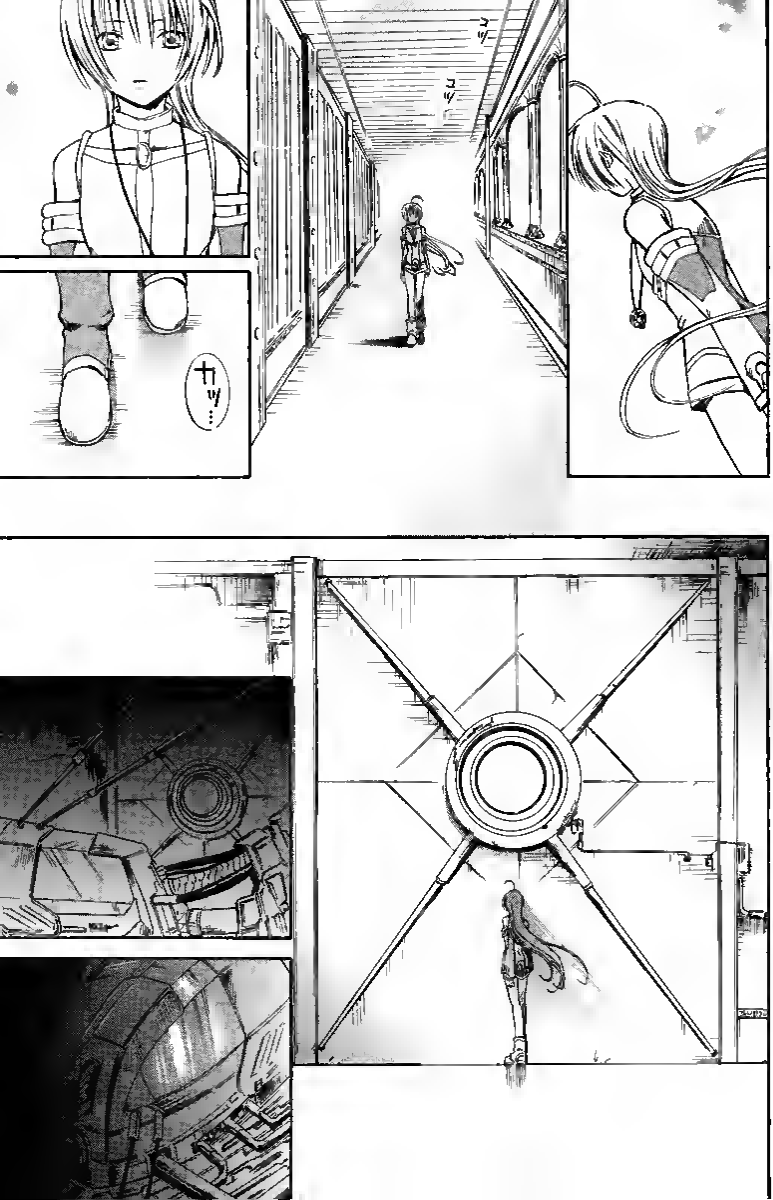

ABOUT THE PROTOTYPE ...
WELL... MASTICUS
FOR THE TIME BEING, I'LL ANALYSE THIS...

AH...
THE VIRUS THAT WAS IN THE LOWER WORLD...


HOWEVER, WHEN YOU DELETED IT
I'M ALSO RESEARCHING THAT AT PRESENT...
MASTICUS, WHAT DO YOU THINK ABOUT IT?

.....
THAT'S RIGHT...
ANYWAY, YOU'VE DONE WELL.
YOU MUST BE TIRED FROM YOUR LONG JOURNEY.
WEREN'T THINGS ALREADY RESOLVED?
EVERYTHING WILL BE OVER ONCE WE HAVE THE CRYSTAL.
OKAY...
.....
STOP WORRYING ABOUT THESE LITTLE THINGS AND GET SOME REST.

.....
.....
WAIT!
I...!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THE VIRUS THAT WAS IN THE LOWER WORLD...
.....
MASTICUS ?
WEREN'T THINGS ALREADY RESOLVED?
BUT...
BUT THAT PERSON ...
.....

IS THERE ANY INFOR-MATION ...?
THIS FILE IS ...?
.....?
WHAT IS THIS?
!?

EH...?
.....

YOU'VE SEEN IT...
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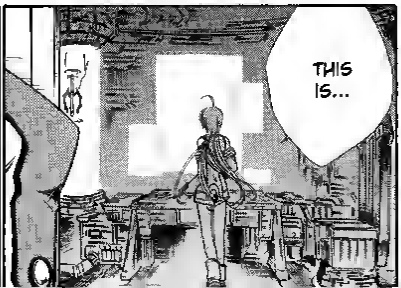
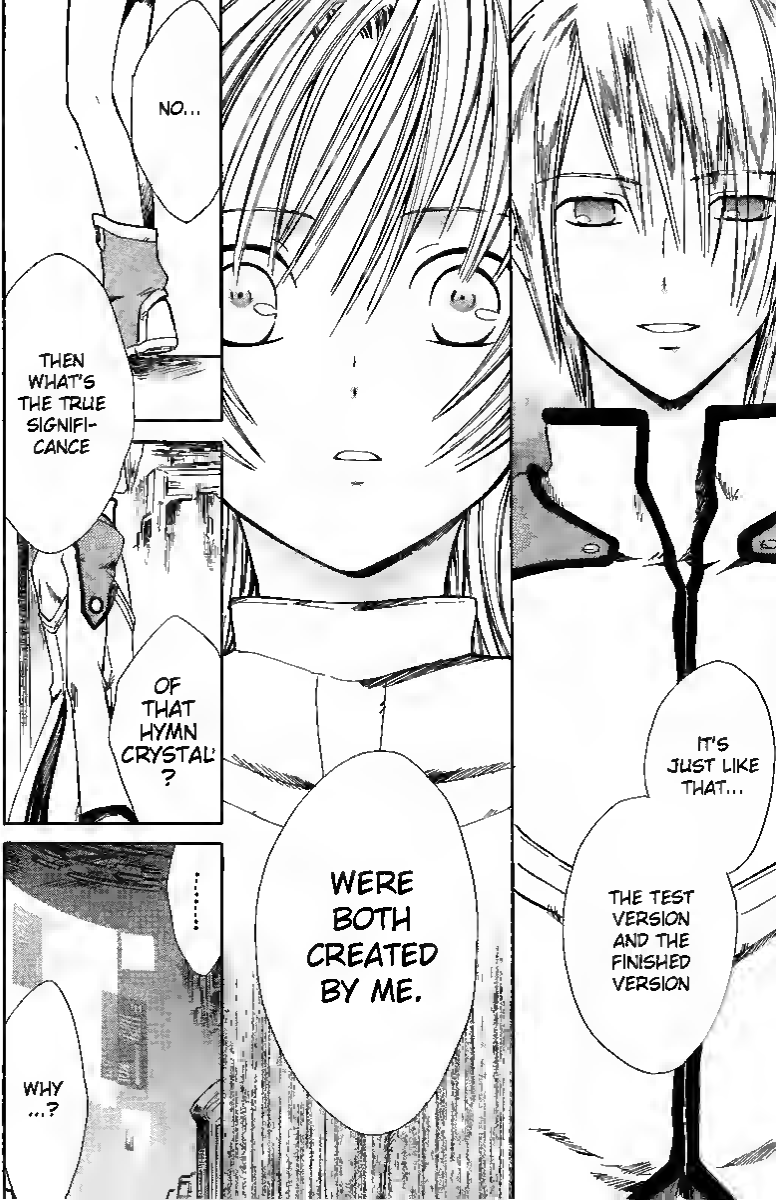

THIS IS...

MA...
MASTICUS...
WHAT ON EARTH...
IS THIS?
WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
IT'S AS YOU SEE IT, SONNET...

THIS CAN'T BE TRUE...
.....
YOU CREATED... THE REVERIS DISEASE...
MASTICUS...
.....
THAT'S RIGHT...


NO...
THEN WHAT'S THE TRUE SIGNIFI-CANCE
OF THAT HYMN CRYSTAL?
IT'S JUST LIKE THAT...
THE TEST VERSION AND THE FINISHED VERSION
WERE BOTH CREATED BY ME.
.....
WHY ...?

ISN'T THAT WHY YOU WERE DOING RESEARCH?!
YOU WERE ALWAYS THINKING OF THE WORLD...
THAT'S RIGHT, SONNET.
AND I ONLY LIVED UNTIL TODAY TO TRULY SAVE IT...
I ONLY THOUGHT ABOUT THE WORLD...

THAT WISH WILL SOON COME TRUE
THANKS TO YOU
THANK YOU, SONNET.
I'LL...
WELL THEN...
.....
?
?

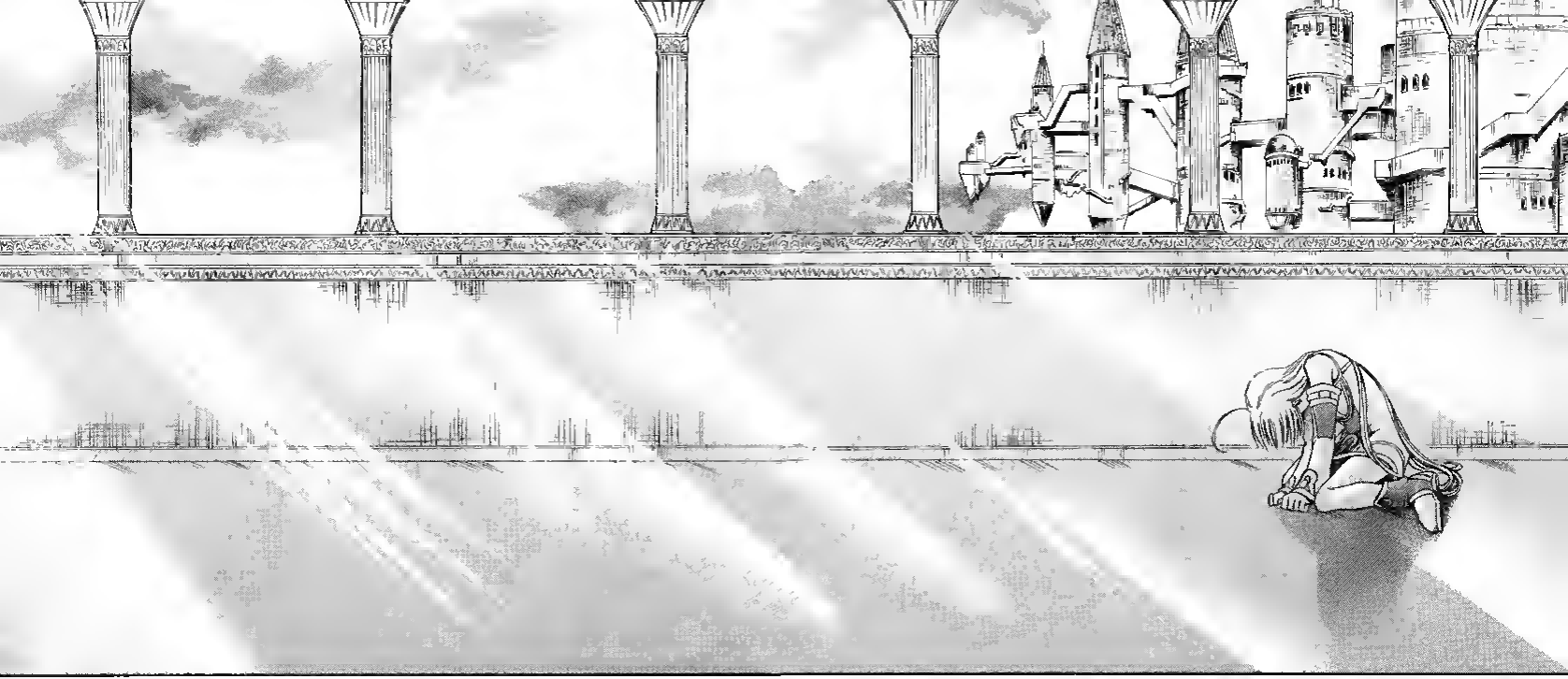
UH...
EVERYTHING I'VE DONE UP UNTIL NOW...
WHAT WAS IT FOR?
FOR SOL CIEL?
FOR THE REYVATEIL?

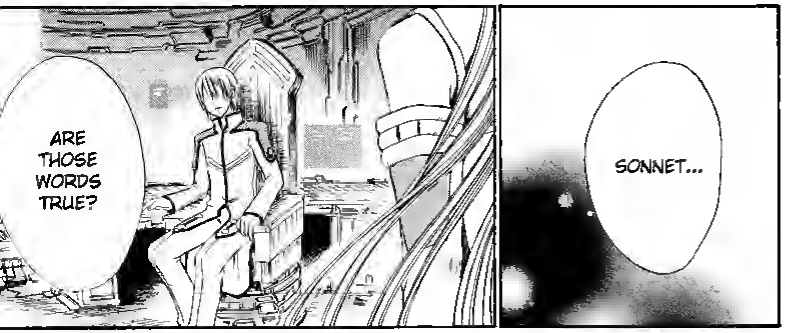
UH...
OR WAS IT FOR...
MASTICUS?
NO...

IN THE END...
I WAS ONLY THINKING ABOUT MYSELF!
AND SOL CIEL...
.....
I...
THE REVVATEIL CAN'T BE SAVED
THE REVERIS DISEASE CAN'T BE CURED

YOU'VE BEEN MAKING SO MUCH EFFORT FOR OTHER PEOPLE, HAVEN'T YOU?
IT'S OKAY TO THINK OF YOURSELF A LITTLE MORE, ISN'T IT?
I.
WHAT I WANT TO PROTECT IS...
JUST PROTECTING IT
ISN'T THE WAY TO TAKE CARE OF WHAT'S IMPORTANT TO YOU.

THAT'S WHAT I'M ABLE TO THINK NOW, SO...




ARE THOSE WORDS TRUE?
SONNET...

I SEE ...
EVEN NOW THAT YOU KNOW EVERYTHING
YOU'LL STILL STAY WITH ME?
I DON'T KNOW
ANY OTHER WAY TO LIVE OTHER THAN BEING BY YOUR SIDE.
YES...
I'LL... GO WITH YOU...

SO, THAT IS...
MY ONLY WISH...
.....
I SEE ...
I WAS SURE
YOU'D SAY THAT.
.....
WELL...
LET'S GET GOING RIGHT AWAY.

THE REQUIREMENT IS A SIMPLE ONE.
THIS IS LOST TECHNOLOGY, YOU SEE.
IF WE FIND WHERE THE SYSTEM LIES, THEN WE CAN ACHIEVE OUR GOAL.
SONNET, SHALL WE GO?
YES...

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IS RECRUITING STAFF IN ALL FIELDS,
PLEASE APPLY TODAY, WE WISH TO
MAKE YOU DREAMS COME TRUE

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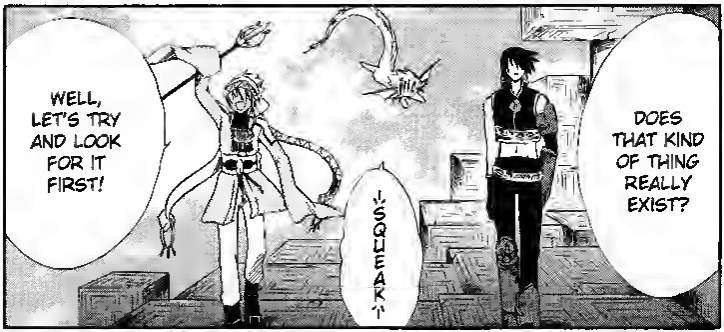
phrase10 a chance meeting

ACTUALLY, EVERYTHING ABOVE THERE IS FLOATING...
I WONDER HOW IT WAS MADE...
A BORDER THAT DIVIDES AR TONELICO INTO THE UPPER AND LOWER WORLD.
WELL... JUST LIKE MEER SAID, WE WERE ABLE TO GET THIS FAR...
IS THERE A WAY TO GET HIGHER UP THAN THIS?
AH...
ACCORDING TO MEER'S 'MEMORIES', THERE'S SOMEWHERE AROUND HERE THAT CONNECTS TO THE TOP.
!SQUEAK!

SO, WE CAN GET INTO THE TOWER FROM SOMEWHERE ...?
I'M SURE.
IT'S BEEN CONFIRMED THAT THE LOWER WORLD ALSO HAS SEVERAL PASSAGES LIKE 'GATES',
THOUGH I HAVEN'T HEARD OF THEM OPENING...


DOES THAT KIND OF THING REALLY EXIST?
!SQUEAK!
WELL, LET'S TRY AND LOOK FOR IT FIRST!

!
!?

THIS IS...
THE TOWER IS SHAKING...
AH!
THAT SCARED ME...
THIS IS STRANGE ...
WHAT ...?

THAT MEANS WE CAN'T STAY AROUND HERE...
THE WEATHER'S NOT GOOD EITHER..
THAT'S RIGHT. ALTHOUGH AN IS PROBABLY MAKING THE ARRANGEMENTS
OH?
I DON'T THINK THE TERU WILL KEEP QUIET ABOUT TRYING TO GO TO THE TOP.
ADAGIO!
AH!
BUT WHERE ARE WE...?
YEAH
LET'S HURRY.

~SQUEAK!
EH? THIS IS?
THIS IS...

ALRIGHT! BINGO!
LET'S GO INSIDE!
HEY...

IT... OPENS THIS EASILY?
.....
WHO KNOWS?

!

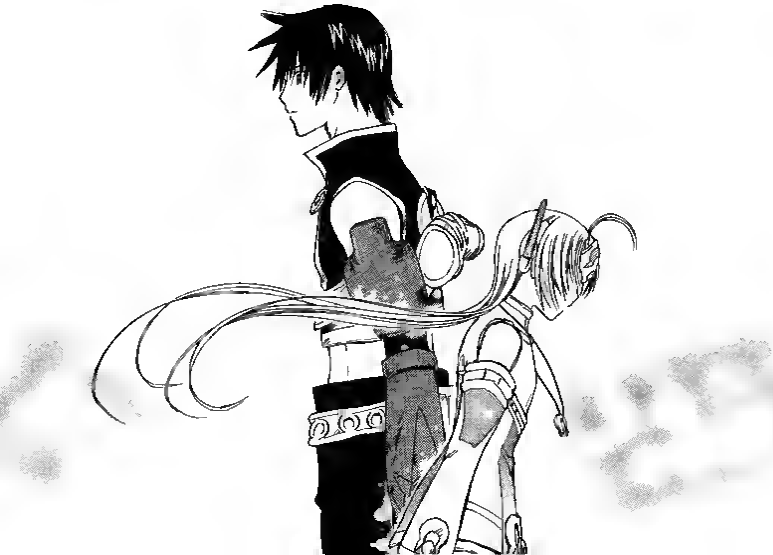
FAIR ENOUGH...
.....
DON'T STAND AROUND WORRYING, LET'S GO AHEAD!
BUT IT'S OPEN...
カツーン
カツ
THIS IS THE INSIDE OF THE TOWER...
A DEAD END?
OH?

HEY, ESPADA
WHAT'S THIS?
I DON'T KNOW
DON'T TOUCH ANYTHING UNLESS YOU HAVE TO...
パシッ
OH
IT LOOKS LIKE WE CAN GET IN HERE.
!?
AH!

MY HEAD HURTS...
WHAT WAS THAT JUST NOW?
!
.....
->SQUEAK<-
OH?
THIS IS...?

WILL WE BE ABLE TO GET OUTSIDE THIS WAY?
THIS IS COMPLETELY DIFFERENT FROM WHERE WE WERE EARLIER.
WE'LL KNOW IF WE GO.
WE WERE BROUGHT HERE ...?
THAT'S RIGHT!
WHICH MEANS THIS IS WHAT THE COSMOSPHERE IS LIKE.. ?
HEY
THE TOWER AND REYVATEIL'S COSMOSPHERE ARE CONNECTED, RIGHT?

I DON'T KNOW... IT'S JUST...
I HEARD THAT EACH REYVATEIL'S COSMOSPHERE LOOKS DIFFERENT
HMM?
BUT US BEING IN THE TOWER...
MEANS THAT WE'RE NEAR THE REYVATEIL'S COSMOSPHERE, DOESN'T IT?
EVEN THOUGH THE REYVATEIL AND THE TOWER ARE CONNECTED
STRICTLY SPEAKING, THE TOWER'S BINARY FIELD. .



ESPADA... WHAT'S WRONG?
.....
JUST NOW...
NO...
NOTHING ...
LET'S MOVE ON.
.....

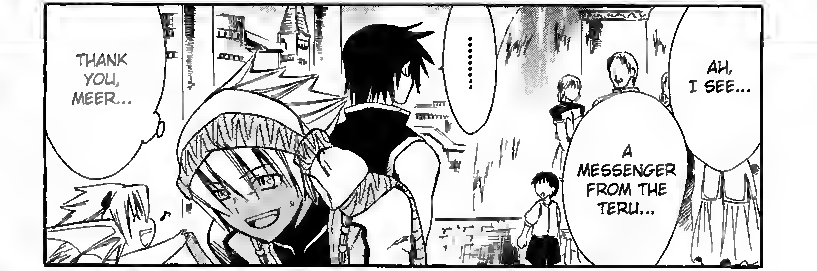
OH?
~SQUEAK~
ANOTHER DEAD END?
AH!
IT...
OPENED...

WOW
AMAZING, IT'S LIKE THE CITY IS FLOATING!
THIS IS PLATINA...
ISN'T IT?

I SEE.
ALRIGHT! ANYWAY, WE'RE HERE!
UNDER-NEATH THE FROZEN EYE...
THERE'S NO DOUBT THAT THIS IS PLATINA!
FIRST WE SHOULD TALK TO THE PEOPLE LIVING HERE...
WE'VE GOT TO UNDER-STAND THE CURRENT SITUATION..
AH
THERE THEY ARE!
SORRY
HAVE YOU GOT A MOMENT?
HAVE YOU HEARD OF THE 'REVERIS DISEASE' ?
I'VE GOT A FEW QUESTIONS ABOUT IT.

EH?
I DON'T REALLY MIND...
COULD IT BE THAT YOU'RE NOT FROM AROUND HERE?
EH?
ざわ
IT'S BEEN SEVERAL HUNDRED YEARS SINCE RELATIONS BETWEEN THE UPPER AND LOWER WORLD BROKE DOWN.
ざわ
THIS MAY BE A LONG SHOT... BUT COULD YOU BE FROM THE LOWER WORLD?
BUT HOW...?
.....
AH, WELL~
WE'RE...
SQUEAK!

THAT'S RIGHT.
ペラペラペラ
ペラペラ
ACTUALLY, THIS TIME I WAS ORDERED BY THE TRIBE LEADER TO REPRESENT THE TERU.
WE'RE INVESTIGATING THE CURRENT SITUATION IN PLATINA.
AH, THIS PERSON IS REPRE-SENTING THE HUMANS.


AH, I SEE...
.....
A MESSENGER FROM THE TERU...
THANK YOU, MEER...

WELL, HAVE YOU HEARD ABOUT THE STRANGE DISEASE THE REYVATEIL ARE SUFFERING FROM?
NOW...
THE SITUATION HASN'T SHOWN ANY SIGN OF GETTING BETTER.
EH?

IT STILL HASN'T BEEN RESOLVED?
IT'S NOWHERE NEAR THAT.
THOUGH MANY RESEARCHERS ARE WORKING ON IT..
.....
IT'S NOT EVEN CERTAIN WHETHER IT'S A NEW STRAIN OF THE VIRUS.
PROFESSOR MASTICUS IS AN EXPERT WHEN IT COMES TO STUDYING THE REYVATEIL.
HE'S THE LEADING RESEARCHER OF THE REVERIS DISEASE.
ACCORDING TO HIM,
!
DEFINING THE SOURCE OF THE REVERIS DESEASE
AND DELETING THAT SOURCE IS A STEP TOWARD RESOLUTION.

EH?
Y-YES...
I DON'T KNOW ANYMORE THAN THAT AT PRESENT.
THE SOURCE OF INFECTION HASN'T BEEN FOUND?
.....
THE ADMINISTRATOR DELETED THE VIRUS SO IT WOULDN'T SPREAD ANY FURTHER...
YES, PEOPLE FROM THE LOWER WORLD WOULDN'T BE USED TO HEARING THAT WORD.
ADMIN-ISTRA-TOR?
EH?

IN AR TONELICO THERE EXISTS AN ADMINISTRATOR KNOWN AS 'SHURELIA'.
SHE AND THE 'KNIGHTS OF ELEMIA' DELETED THE VIRUS.
ADMIN-ISTRA-TOR..
.....
I HOPE NOTHING ELSE HAPPENS ..
A LACK OF CONTROL OVER THE TOWER HAS ALSO BEEN REPORTED.
HOWEVER, THE VIRUS HAS INCREASINGLY AFFECTED THE SYMPHONIC REACTOR RECENTLY.
.....

I DON'T KNOW WHAT'S WHAT...
.....
WE'LL LOOK FOR SONNET FOR THE TIME BEING.
THEN WE'VE GOT TO MEET MASTICUS AND TALK TO HIM...
.....
'THE PROFESSOR?
HE'S AN ABSOLUTE GENIUS '
'IF YOU SEE HIM, YOU'LL KNOW WHO HE IS RIGHT AWAY.'
→SQUEAK←
JUST AS I THOUGHT, I CAN HEAR SONNET'S 'THOUGHTS' FROM HERE.
.....
INSIDE THE TOWER?

NOT AGAIN~
HOW ARE WE SUPPOSED TO GET IN?
OH?
UWAAA
.....
.....
ANOTHER ONE OPENED...
.....

THERE'S ANOTHER THING I DON'T RECOGNISE.
IT LOOKS DIFFERENT FROM THE ONE BEFORE THOUGH ..
WE'LL THINK ABOUT THINGS LATER...
FOR NOW, WE'LL KEEP ON GOING.
OKAY!

!

……
カツン
カツン
カツン
WE CAME OUT AT ANOTHER STRANGE PLACE...
EH?
HEY LOOK,
!

A BLAST LINE?
THIS MEANS THAT, EVEN THOUGH WE'RE STILL INSIDE THE TOWER..
WE'RE QUITE NEAR THE SUMMIT.
YOU REALLY CAME THIS FAR...

I'M GLAD WE FOUND YOU...
WE'VE BEEN LOOKING FOR A LONG TIME!
SONNET!
TO BE HONEST ..
I DIDN'T THINK YOU'D MAKE IT HERE...
WHAT ON EARTH IS THE MEANING OF THIS?
YOU HAD...
THAT SWORD WHICH BELONGED TO MY FATHER...
HEY, SONNET
SONNET ...?

SONNET ?!
HEY...
!
WASN'T THE REVERIS DISEASE CURED?
.....
PLEASE DON'T COME NEAR ME.

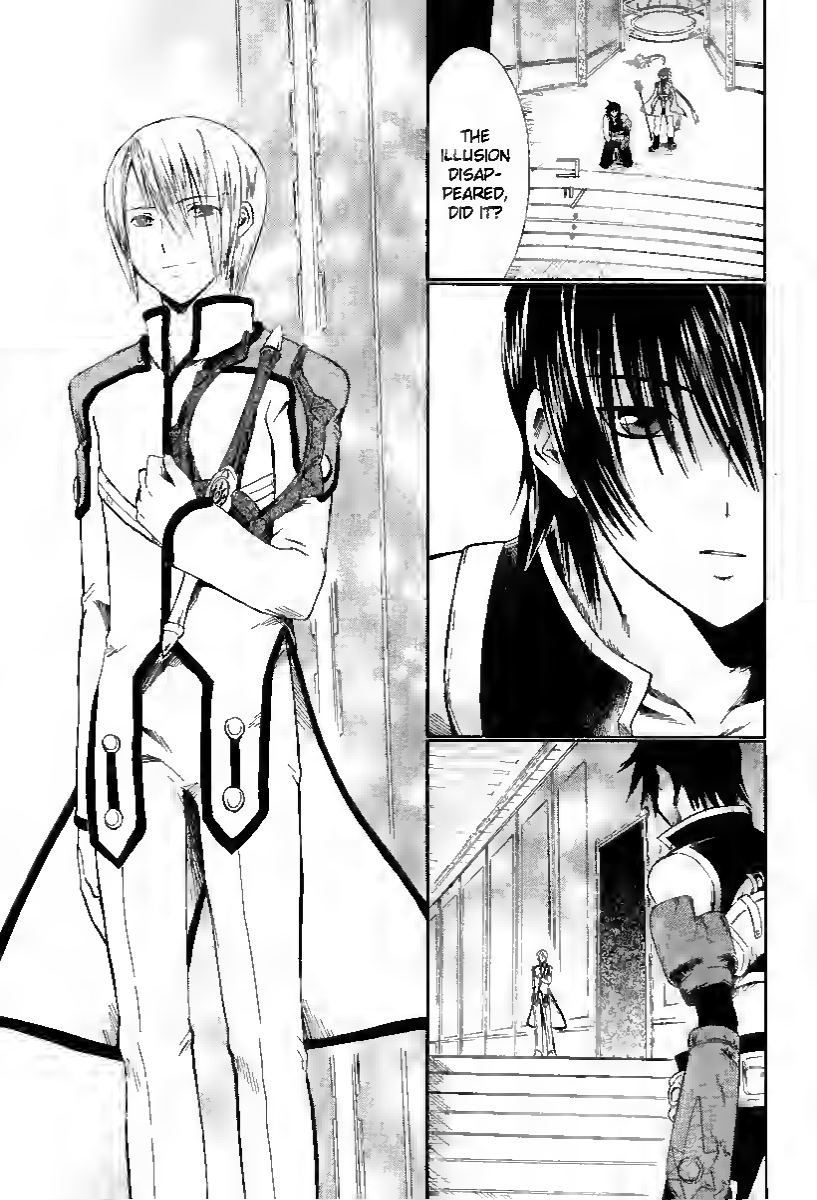
NO, IT'S OKAY...
DON'T WORRY ABOUT IT...
ESPADA'S NOT ANGRY AT YOU.
SONNET, WEREN'T YOU FEELING BETTER?!
SONNET...
THAT'S WHY I CAME HERE.
I WANT TO KNOW WHAT'S HAPPENING NOW...
I...

HEY...
!
SONNET ...?
.....

EH...
EH ...?!

S-SONNET ...
DISAP-PEARED ...?
.....

SONNET...?


THE ILLUSION DISAP-PEARED, DID IT?

I SEE...
.....
YOU...!
I WONDERED WHAT HER INTENTION WAS...
TO THINK THAT SHE SUMMONED HER 'LAST RESORT' FROM THE LOWER WORLD...
HEY... WHAT'S GOING ON?
WHERE DID YOU TAKE SONNET ...?!
SONNET...
.....

SHE NO LONGER EXISTS.
EH?
WHAT'S HERE IS...
MY MASTERPIECE...

MY ANTI-REYVATEIL VIRUS 'REVERIS'.

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SONNET...?
.....
IS NOTHING MORE THAN A SOULSPACE THAT MATERIALIZED FROM A DEVICE I DEVELOPED.
THE SONNET YOU KNOW
THIS IS THE TRUE SONNET.
THIS IS THE RESULT OF MY RESEARCH!
SHE'S FUSED WITH THE COSMOSPHERE'S REVERIS DISEASE
phrase11 the demise of the nightmare

THE REVERIS DISEASE?
SONNET IS...
HE
.....
THIS IS THE ONLY THING I CAN'T GIVE UP!
PLEASE LISTEN TO ME SOMEHOW!
PLEASE!
I PROMISED TO
TAKE THIS AND RETURN TO PLATINA WITHOUT FAIL...
THERE'S NOT MUCH TIME...
IF I DON'T HURRY...
FOR THAT...
I'LL PAY ANY PRICE...
THE REYVATEIL ARE SUFFERING
I CAN'T JUST ABANDON THEM

IT SHOULDN'T HAVE BEEN LIKE THAT.
I WANTED TO AVOID ANY MORE DAMAGE.
SO SHE.

CERTAINLY, TO THINK THAT THE CRYSTAL WAS RIGHT BESIDE THE RECENTLY ABANDONED PROTOTYPE..
!

WHEN SONNET REALIZED THAT SHE WAS THE SOURCE OF THE DISEASE
SHE THOUGHT THE REYVATEIL'S SUFFERING WAS HER FAULT.
'IF I SING THE SONG FROM THIS HYMN CRYSTAL, THE REVERIS DISEASE WILL BE CURED.'
AS PER MY REQUEST, SHE WENT TO THE LOWER WORLD WITHOUT ANY DOUBT IN HER MIND.

YOU...!
YOU DID THAT TO KAURON...!
KETORA!
ROUND SHIELD
!
WELL, I'LL TAKE THAT TO MEAN USING HIM FOR SUPPORT WAS AN EFFECTIVE MOVE ..

!
.....
JUST A LITTLE LONGER ..
MY WISH WILL BE GRANTED.
SO, IN ORDER FOR THAT WISH TO COME TRUE...
HMM...
I SEE...
!
OLD MAN MASTICUS!
HOW LONG HAVE YOU BEEN ALIVE?

I WON'T LET YOU GET IN MY WAY.
!
WAIT...!
DAMN, HE GOT AWAY...
!?
.....
MY APPEARANCE IS ALSO THE RESULT OF RESEARCHING THE PUREBLOOD β-TYPE REYVATEIL.
EVEN THOUGH I HAD TO MAKE MY OWN BODY INTO A TEST SUBJECT
IT WAS A NOBLE DESIRE WHICH I WISHED TO FULFILL.

I DIDN'T REALIZE!
EVEN SO... WHAT HAVE I BEEN DOING ALL THIS TIME...?
THINKING ABOUT IT, SHE WAS LIKE THAT FROM THE START...!
ESPADA, NOW'S NOT THE TIME TO BE MAKING A SCARY FACE!
DAMN...
I'VE GOT A REALLY BAD FEELING!
WE'VE GOT TO HURRY AND CHASE THEM!

I KNOW!
DAMN!
HOW ARE WE SUPPOSED TO FIND THEM FROM HERE?!
IF WE DON'T UNDER-STAND THE STRUCTURE
WE WON'T BE ABLE TO KNOW WHERE THEY ARE EITHER.
MEER, CAN YOU FIND THAT YOUNG-LOOKING GUY'S WHEREABOUTS?
EH?
EH? YOU'RE HAVING TROUBLE TUNING IN...
I SEE... DAMN...
WHAT SHOULD I DO...?

HMM?
WHAT WAS THAT NOISE?
……?
!
THIS IS..
IT'S... RESONATING?
WHAT ...?
IT CAN'T BE .. THAT'S...
♪SQUEAK♪

THE SWORD ...?
SONNET'S CARRYING IT, SO IT MIGHT BE!
WE'LL HAVE TO TAKE THAT RISK!
IT'S HERE.
THERE'S A STRONG REACTION COMING FROM INSIDE THERE...
ALRIGHT, LEAVE IT TO ME!
LET'S GO, MEER!
→SQUEAK←

SELPHEL
ROYAL GUARD

I SEE...
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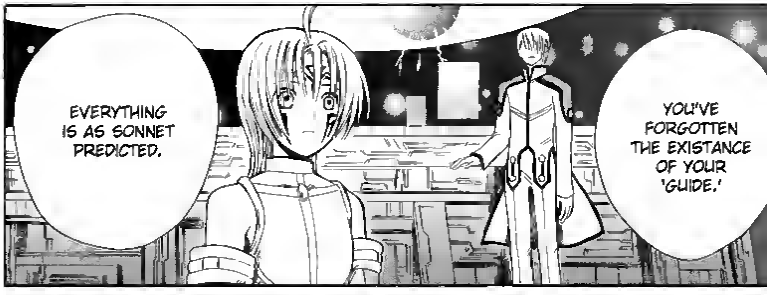
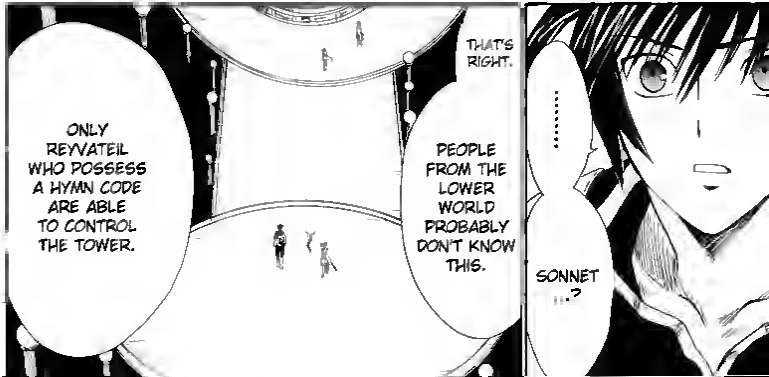

EVERYTHING IS AS SONNET PREDICTED.
YOU'VE FORGOTTEN THE EXISTANCE OF YOUR 'GUIDE.'

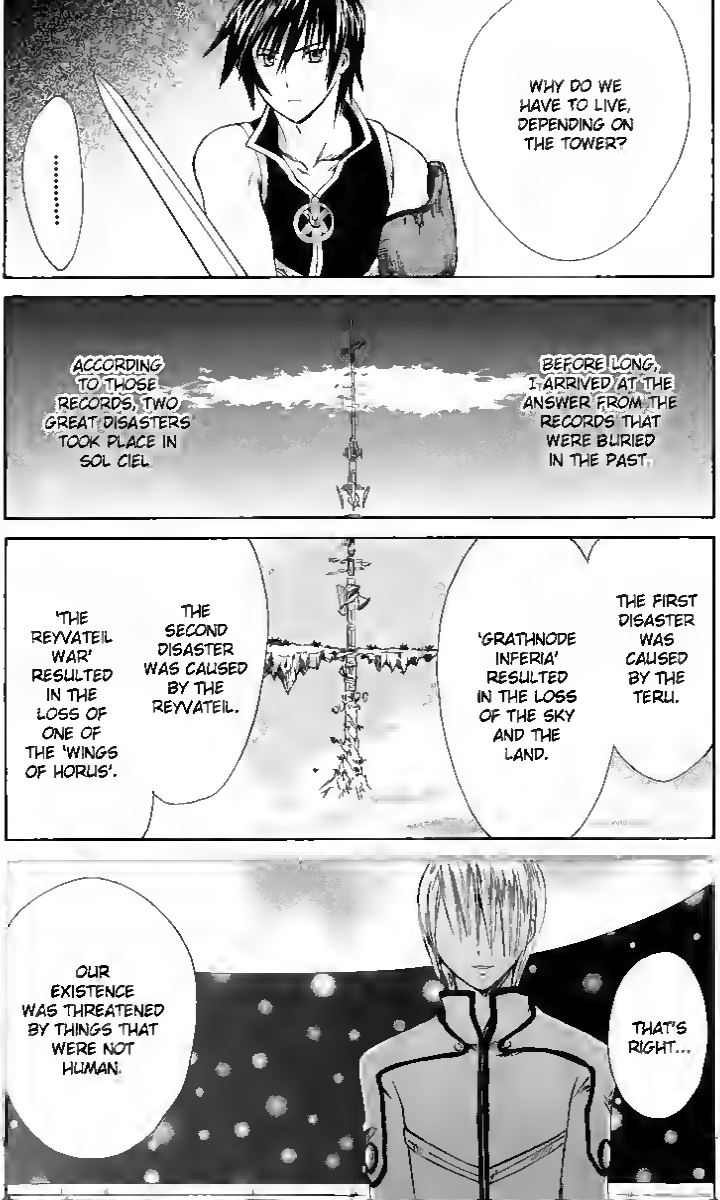

ONLY REYVATEIL WHO POSSESS A HYMN CODE ARE ABLE TO CONTROL THE TOWER.
THAT'S RIGHT.
PEOPLE FROM THE LOWER WORLD PROBABLY DON'T KNOW THIS.
.....
SONNET ...?

I WONDER WHAT THAT MEANS...
THAT IS, SONNET WAS THE ONE WHO GUIDED YOU HERE.
!
HOW MUCH OF SONNET'S DYING WISH DO YOU REALLY UNDERSTAND?
SO, THEY...
HER LAST WISH WAS TO RETURN TO NOTHING...
HOWEVER, 'SONNET'...
WILL BE KILLED BY 'YOU'!

WHAT WAS KAURON FOR ...?!
YOUR SWORD!
ESPADA!
YOU CREATED THE REVERIS DISEASE?
THEN KAURON...
TO DEVELOP THE REVERIS DISEASE
A LARGE AMOUNT OF DATA ABOUT THE REYVATEILS' COSMOSPHERE WAS NECESSARY.

IT'S TRUE THAT THERE ARE ALSO REYVATEIL IN PLATINA.
YOU CAME ALL THE WAY TO THE LOWER WORLD FOR THAT...?
EVEN SO, REYVATEIL ARE TREATED KINDLY HERE, SO IT WAS DIFFICULT TO PROGRESS MY RESEARCH
THERE ARE ALSO AROUND 30% MORE REYVATEIL HERE THAN IN THE LOWER WORLD.
DON'T MESS AROUND!
I'M GRATEFUL FOR THE WAY THE LOWER WORLD IS, IT'S AS IF THE REYVATEIL WERE GATHERED THERE FOR THE PURPOSE OF MY RESEARCH.
WHAT'S MORE, IT'S A LAWLESS PLACE WHERE GROUPS LIKE TENBA CAN GAIN POWER.
BUT WHAT ABOUT THE LOWER WORLD?
REYVATEIL AREN'T VERY WELL UNDERSTOOD AND THEY'RE TREATED DIFFERENTLY.

MASTICUS!
WHAT ARE YOU AIMING FOR?!
WELL, I'LL TELL YOU, YOUNG MAN.
!?
THIS IS A REPLAY OF A LONG HISTORY.
DON'T YOU HAVE ANY DOUBTS
ABOUT WHY THE WORLD WAS CREATED LIKE THIS?


WHY DO WE HAVE TO LIVE, DEPENDING ON THE TOWER?
.....
ACCORDING TO THOSE RECORDS, TWO GREAT DISASTERS TOOK PLACE IN SOL CIEL.
BEFORE LONG, I ARRIVED AT THE ANSWER FROM THE RECORDS THAT WERE BURIED IN THE PAST.
'THE REYVATEIL WAR' RESULTED IN THE LOSS OF ONE OF THE 'WINGS OF HORUS'.
THE SECOND DISASTER WAS CAUSED BY THE REYVATEIL.
'GRATHNODE INFERIA' RESULTED IN THE LOSS OF THE SKY AND THE LAND.
THE FIRST DISASTER WAS CAUSED BY THE TERU.
OUR EXISTENCE WAS THREATENED BY THINGS THAT WERE NOT HUMAN.
THAT'S RIGHT...

EVEN SO...
.....!
DO YOU UNDER-STAND?
WE MUST LIVE WHILE CONTROLLING THE EXISTENCES THAT THREATENED THE HISTORY OF HUMANS.
THIS HASN'T BEEN MADE PUBLIC, BUT THE TOWER'S ADMINISTRATOR SHURELIA
IS THE 'ORIGIN', THE ANCESTOR OF THE REYVATEIL
WHAT A RIDICULOUS ARRANGEMENT.

THE BACKGROUND OF A SITUATION IS ALWAYS COMPLICATED!
BUT THAT DOESN'T MEAN THAT HUMANS WEREN'T INVOLVED IN THE SECOND DISASTER!
-SQUEAK-
ADAGIO?
THAT'S CERTAINLY TRUE...
UWAA
!
SHUT UP, YOU TERU.
HOWEVER, THE TERU AND THE REYVATEIL CONTINUED TO OBSERVE US.
THAT HISTORY IS ALREADY OVER TOO.

WHAT A STRANGE THING TO SAY...
EVERYONE'S THE SAME...
THEY'RE ALIVE!
ORIGINALLY, THE REYVATEIL
WERE CREATED TO PROTECT THE MAGICAL WEAPON AR TONELICO.
FOR THE HUMANS, I'M GOING TO RESTORE THE WORLD'S APPEARANCE.
WITHOUT THE INTERFERENCE OF THE ORIGIN
I'LL TAKE CONTROL OF AR TONELICO.
YOU'RE...
SAYING THAT YOU'VE GOT THE RIGHT TO DO THAT!
WHAT?!
WHAT ARE YOU SAYING, OLD MAN?!
THE TERU AND THE REYVATEIL WILL BE DESTROYED
!

SONNET
SONNET!
THEY'RE NOTHING MORE THAN LIVING WEAPONS.
THERE'S NO REASON TO FEEL ANYTHING FOR A LIFELESS DOLL.
TCH...
THERE MUST BE...
A WAY TO SAVE SONNET!

THERE'S NO WAY.
DID YOU THINK I'D MAKE SOMETHING INCOMPLETE?
IF YOU WANT TO STOP HER, KILL HER.
DEFEAT SONNET.
JUST LIKE THE PROTOTYPE...

AT THE END OF MANY YEARS OF ENHANCEMENT AND REFORMATION, I POSSESS THE POWER TO HACK INTO AR TONELICO, AT A SPEED THAT SURPASSES THE ORIGIN.
AS WELL AS HAVING REACHED THE LOWEST DEPTHS OF THE COSMOSPHERE

THAT...
C'IN'T BE TRUE...

DON'T WORRY THOUGH
YOU CANNOT DEFEAT SONNET.

Feeling infinitely nothing
LIKE THIS!
IT DOES NOT COMPARE TO THE POWER AND 'SOULSPACE' OF THAT SONG MAGIC.

feeling infinitely nothing
and wanting to end this now,
live inside me Ar Tonelico
SQUEAK
WHAT ...?
please dwell inside
of my words magic
UH... THIS IS BAD!
MEER!
SQUEAK
Please, come inside of my
mind great wisdom

UWAAAAA
upon me please reveal yourself
divine power
Feeling infinitely nothing
and regardless of what
might befall
AEGIS!
HOLY LORD'S SHIELD
'Ar Tonelico!'

UH...
UH...
.....
HMPH
YOU'RE WEAK.
IT'S ALREADY BEEN RELEASED...
AH...
!

HYMN CRYSTAL 'SOPORIFIC'
IF I DOWNLOAD THIS ONTO SONNET
AND GET HER TO SING THIS HYMMNOS...
!
A HYMN CRYSTAL...
YOU MEAN AN ITEM TO MAKE HER LEARN A NEW HYMN..
THAT'S RIGHT.
HOWEVER, STRICTLY SPEAKING ...
IT'S A SONG THAT CAN DIRECTLY CONTROL THE TOWER'S [HYMMNOS EXTRACT]
THAT'S WHAT 'SOPORIFIC' IS.

I KNEW IT. . HE'S CRAZY!
THAT OLD MAN...
.....
.....!
ESPADA!
.....!
SONNET WILL BECOME A KEY PART OF THAT!
IT'S THE CREATION OF A NEW WORLD BY THE HANDS OF HUMANS.
WHAT'S MORE, THE REVERIS DISEASE
PREVENTS THE ORIGIN FROM INTERFERING.
IT CAN OPEN THE 'GATE' IN A REYVATEIL'S COSMOSPHERE.
IN OTHER WORDS, IT MEANS BEING ABLE TO CONTROL THEM FREELY.
THE HYMMNOS SOPORIFIC
CAUSES THE REYVATEIL TO LOSE THEIR WILL.

I'M SORRY!
EH?
WHAT'S THIS?
BUT, SOMEHOW...
SUSUMU!
.....!
SONNET'S REMAINING MEMORIES...?
I REALLY...
DIDN'T WANT YOU TO SEE ME LIKE THIS
BUT I ONLY HAVE A LITTLE TIME LEFT.
ALL I CAN DO IS TO ENTRUST MY WISH TO THE TWO OF YOU.

I'M SORRY FOR BEING A BURDEN UNTIL THE END
TO PROTECT THE WORLD
STOP ME SOME-HOW ...
SONNET...
STOP THAT PERSON SOMEHOW...

'IT'S FINE WHEN YOU CAN SAY BEAUTIFUL THINGS.'
'BUT IT'S TOO LATE WHEN YOU'VE GOT TOO CAUGHT UP AND LOST WHAT'S IMPORTANT TO YOU.'
'YOU CAN'T KILL SOMEONE THAT EASILY!'

'THE ONLY WAY TO STOP HER IS KILLING HER.'
THAT'S RIGHT.
THE ONLY WAY
ESPADA!
SONNET!

AS IF I COULD KILL HER...!
AS IF I COULD DO THAT...
DAMN IT...

Feeling infinitely nothing
and wanting to end this now,
I shall execute the magic of
Thunder!
UGH...
ESPADA!
YOU FOOL..
YOU FEEL SOMETHING FOR A DOLL...
DIDN'T YOU COME THIS FAR TO PROTECT "THE PRESENT WORLD"?
THE WORLD ...?
PROTECT IT...?
NO...

ALWAYS
THE IMPORTANT PEOPLE IN FRONT OF ME
WERE ALL I WANTED TO PROTECT.
IT'S NOT THE WORLD THAT I WANT TO PROTECT.

I SEE...
'A SWORD THAT RESPONDS TO THE WILL OF ITS BEARER, ITS POWER AND FORM CAN BE ALTERED AT WILL.'
THAT'S JUST WHAT I'D EXPECT FROM THE LOST CIVILIZATION
IT'S THE PERFECT CONTAINER FOR 'SOPORIFIC' TO BE SEALED IN.
BUT THAT IS NO LONGER ITS ROLE.
'I THINK YOU SHOULD BE THE ONE TO CARRY IT OUT.'

WHAT WAS SHE FEELING AT THAT TIME..?
'THAT'S SURELY WHAT THE OTHERS ARE THINKING TOO.'
BUT..
IF THAT'S WHAT SONNET'S WISH IS NOW...
AHHHH!
ADAGIO! MEER!

UGH!
I'M YOUR OPPONENT!
C'MON!
EVEN THOUGH SHE REALLY WANTED HELP...!
BUT SONNET
UGH...

'THIS IS THE ONLY WAY I COULD HAVE PROTECTED WHAT'S IMPORTANT TO ME'
'HOWEVER, ESPADA'
ESPA... DA...
'SOME-HOW YOU...'
NOW, I DON'T KNOW WHAT'S RIGHT...
WHAT'S THE BEST THING TO DO...
FATHER... KAURON...
'BELIEVE AND GO FORTH'

SO, IT'S NOW THAT I UNDERSTAND
MY FATHER'S FEELINGS AT THAT TIME...
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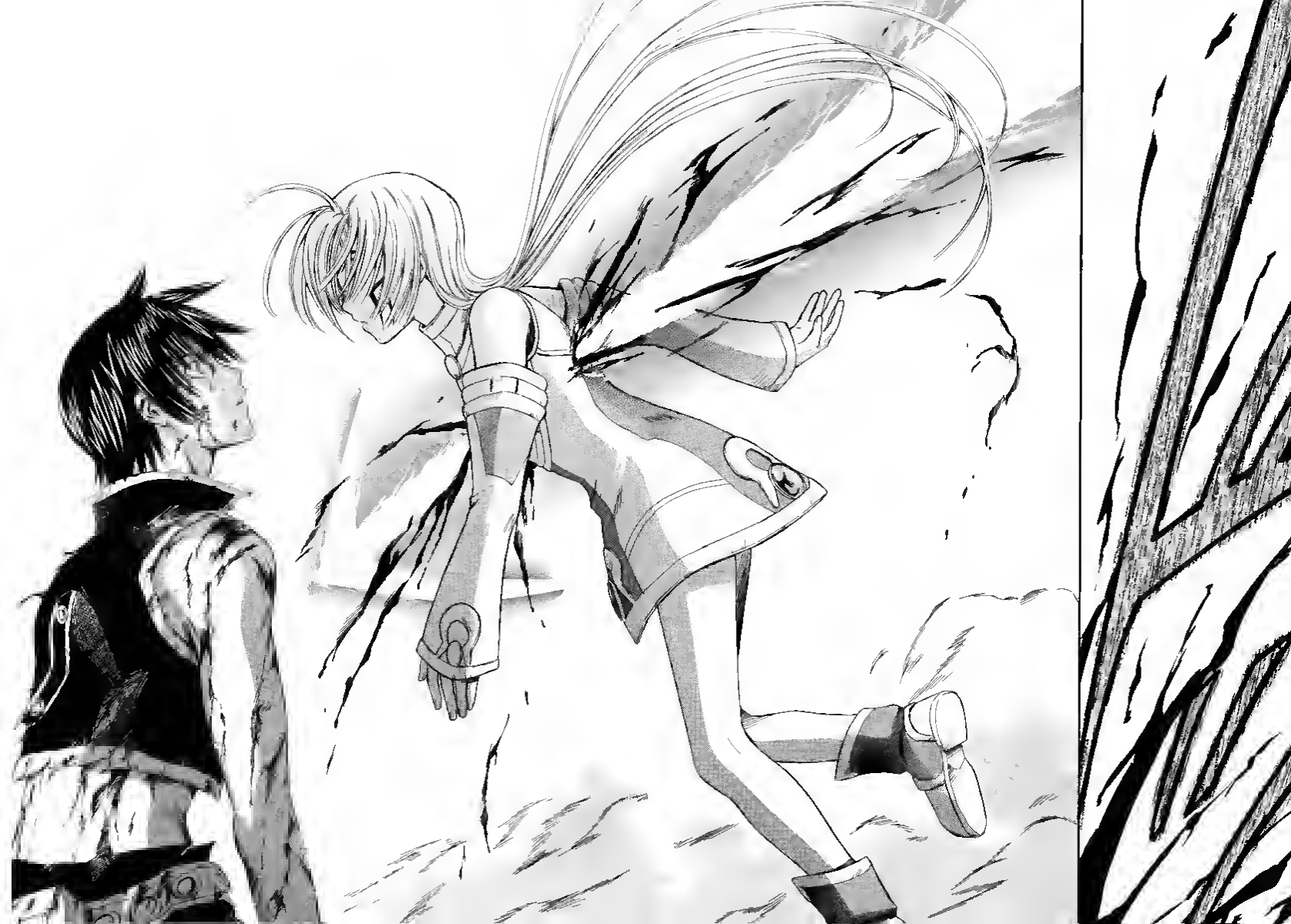
.....
POOR YOU...
SONNET, PUT HIM AT EASE

SEEING SOMEONE DIE...
E...
ESPADA!



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I MET A SONG THAT WAS JUST LIKE YOU

phrase12 As Long as the World Sings

A PAINFUL, HEART-RENDING MELODY

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WHO HOLDS THE KEY TO BREAKING YOU?

SONNET....
AH...
SONNET!
IMPOSSIBLE...
THERE WAS STILL SOME OF HER WILL REMAINING...?

...!
REVERIS, DESTROY THEM
WELL ...
A REPLACEMENT FOR SONNET WILL BE WORKED OUT SOMEHOW...
THE REVERIS DISEASE ...?!
BECAUSE SONNET'S COSMOSPHERE HAS BEEN DESTROYED
IT CAN NO LONGER LIVE WITHIN HER

Feeling nothing, and regardless of
what might befall upon me
I have found a song that is like you
WHAT IS IT ...?
WHAT'S WRONG?
th t sings beautifulness
nd suffering
Feeling nothing, and wishing to
not feel like this ever again
I shall send you back to a world that
doesn't have such things
THAT TIME ...
!
.....!?

Slightly seriously,
I think that a mermaid exists in the world
slightly earnestly,
I would restrain it if it made you smile?
MY WOUNDS ...
THIS MELODY IS...
SONNET?
Fairly sincerely,
if I won't change,
I shall restrain it,
and reverse the world.
THIS IS ..

Greatly wishing to protect you,
I shall turn into the song of the wind,
and run through this world.
And infinitely wishing, and wanting to stay
like this forever, I want it to live with me.
And play the eternal
song of the world.

.....
AMAZING
T-THAT'S ENOUGH...
!
Don't sing anymore!
SONNET!

TESTING THE TOWER'S NORMALIZATION BY SINGING A SONG WITH HIGH LEVEL HEALING ABILITIES...
HOWEVER, REVERIS HAS NOT BEEN DELETED
FAREWELL
.....

SHURELIA ...!
THAT'S FAR ENOUGH
.....!?
MASTICUS
!?

YOU'RE ...
WE'LL TALK LATER
NOW, I MUST DELETE THAT REVERIS
BUT...

WAAH!
IT WAS NEUTRA-LIZED ?
I'VE GOT TO USE SOME KIND OF PHYSICAL FORCE...

FOR SHURELIA HERSELF TO APPEAR...
PERFECT TIMING
I'LL MAKE YOU THE NEXT CONTAINER FOR REVERIS
...!
HOW SHOULD I ATTACK THE VIRUS...?
YOUNG MAN
!
TRY USING THAT SWORD

IF THERE ARE STRONG FEELINGS INSIDE OF YOU
THE SWORD WILL SURELY RESPOND
BUT... THIS IS...
THAT SWORD IS AN INCARNATION OF THE BEARER'S HEART

"THIS WAS THE ONLY WAY I COULD PROTECT WHAT'S IMPORTANT TO ME."
I'M...
STRONG FEELINGS ...?
"BUT, SOMEHOW YOU..."
I DON'T WANT TO SEE ANYONE ELSE DIE
SO...
SOMEHOW ...
.....!?

WHAT ARE YOU DOING ?!
REVERIS, ATTACK!
WHAT ...?!

……!
I'M READY
Slightly concentrated, I shall execute the magic of God's Divine Protection…
for him!

SHU-RELIA ...YOU!
REVERIS! DON'T RELY ON LONG DISTANCE ATTACKS, COME CLOSER!
!

WHAT ?!
ESPADA!
OOOOO=!
WHOOOA!

……!
!
MASTICUS, ADMIT DEFEAT
……

AREN'T YOU GOING TO KILL ME?
WHAT'S WRONG ?
.....
YOU'RE KAURON AND MY FATHER'S ENEMY
BUT...
CERTAINLY ...
I DON'T HAVE THE RIGHT...
I'LL NEVER FORGIVE THE REYVATEIL!

I'LL MAKE SURE YOU'RE SAFE
.....
FOR SONNET ...
ANYWAY ...
DON'T MAKE ME LAUGH
DID YOU THINK THAT I'D BEG A REYVATEIL TO SPARE MY LIFE?
!
HEY...
!!!

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YOU TWO...
I'VE CAUSED A LOT OF TROUBLE THIS TIME...
I AM SHURELIA, AR TONELICO'S ADMINISTRATOR

ADMINI-
STRA-
TOR
…
THE SPREAD OF THE REVERIS DISEASE IN THE TOWER'S BINARY FIELD WAS CAUSED BY MASTICUS OVER A FIXED TERM
IT WAS MY FAULT THAT THE RESULTS HAD LED TO THIS SITUATION
I DON'T CARE ABOUT THAT!
SONNET
…
CAN'T YOU HELP SONNET?!
……

WHEN A REYVATEIL HAS BEEN CONSUMED BY REVERIS, IT DESTROYS THE COSMOSPHERE AND SEVERS ITS LINK WITH THE TOWER...
Then it is as good as dead
UNFOR-TUNATELY ...
THERE'S NOTHING I CAN DO
NO...!
.....
THAT'S ...

ARE YOU SAYING THAT SHE MADE THIS CHOICE TO PROTECT THE WORLD?
YOU MUST BE JOKING!
Squeak
.....
.....

.....
THERE'S ONE POSSIBILITY
YOU, TERU BOY
EH?
WHAT IS THE SECRET CEREMONY OF YOUR SECT?
UMM... PURA-RURA IS...
"REIN-CARNA-TION"
AH!
I SEE
IT MAY BE POSSIBLE USING THE PURARURA SECRET CEREMONY OF "REINCARNATION" ...
TRANSFERRING HER QUALITIES AS A HUMAN INTO A NEW "CONTAINER" AND BREATHING LIFE INTO A NEW HUMAN

SINCE SHE'S NOT A PUREBLOOD β-TYPE REYVATEIL
AND IS A THIRD GENERATION REYVATEIL WITH THE BLOOD OF A HUMAN, IT IS ONLY A POSSIBILITY ...
ANYWAY... WE MIGHT BE ABLE TO SAVE HER, RIGHT?!
THEN HURRY...
HOWEVER... EVEN IF IT IS A SUCCESS, SHE'LL RECEIVE A NEW LIFE AS A "HUMAN"
WHEN SHE AWAKENS, SHE'LL HAVE LOST
ALL HER MEMORIES FROM WHEN SHE WAS A REYVATEIL
!
ONE MORE THING
THE NEW "CONTAINER" THAT IS NECESSARY FOR THIS CEREMONY WILL BE...

EH?
IN OTHER WORDS, BY CARRYING OUT THE CEREMONY OF REINCARNATION
YOU WILL LOSE YOUR "DOPPLER"
EVEN SO, WILL YOU STILL TAKE THAT RISK?
THE PURARURA FAIRY "DOPPLER"

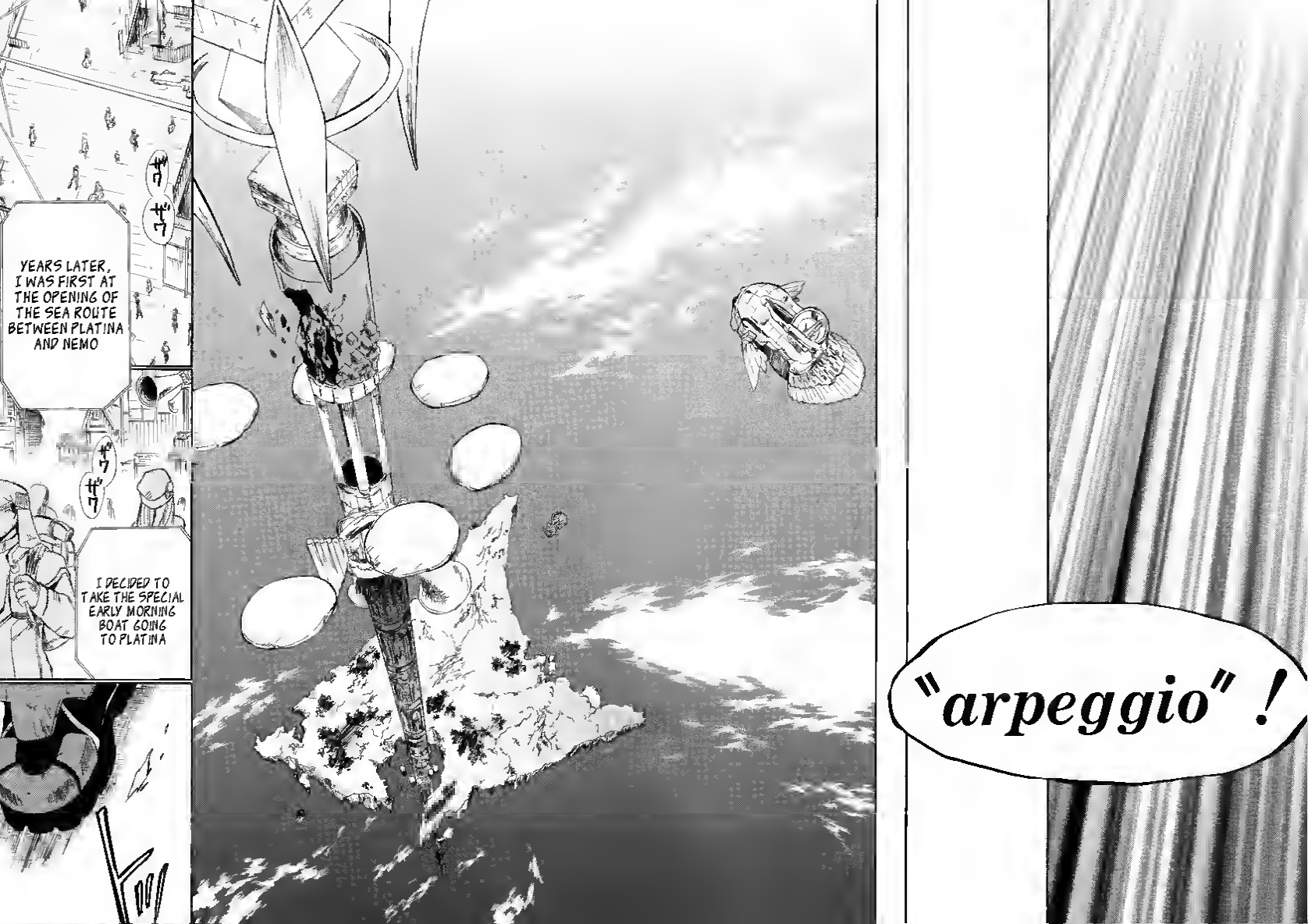
MEER...
.....
Squeak
.....
IT'S OKAY ...
EVEN IF MY BODY DISAPPEARS ...
I'M PART OF THE WORLD
I WON'T DISAPPEAR...
THAT'S BECAUSE

...!
ADAGIO ...
YOU ARE YOURSELF...
IN OTHER WORDS, WHAT I WANT TO SAY IS
THAT'S BECAUSE YOU POSSESS ALL OF MYSELF

I'LL DO IT...
BUT...
ESPADA
MEER SAID IT'S OKAY...!
I WANT TO...
HELP SONNET BECAUSE SHE PROTECTED EVERYONE!
THANKS ...
.....

WHAT ARE YOU SAYING THAT FOR?!
BURIED FOR ETERNITY, THE FORBIDDEN WISDOM
THE TWINKLING, WOVEN SECRET ART ALLOW THE CEREMONY OF THE ANTI-SOUL FOR AN INSTANT

THE STARS GO AROUND THE EARTH, LIFE REVOLVES AROUND CREATION
I PRAY FOR YOUR LIFE, RETURN TO THE VICISSITUDES OF THE CYCLE OF REBIRTH
NOW, ENGRAVE THIS MELODY INTO YOUR MEMORIES


YEARS LATER, I WAS FIRST AT THE OPENING OF THE SEA ROUTE BETWEEN PLATINA AND NEMO
I DECIDED TO TAKE THE SPECIAL EARLY MORNING BOAT GOING TO PLATINA
"arpeggio" !

THIS PLACE HASN'T CHANGED EITHER...
ESPADA, SORRY I'M LATE!
JEEZ... I'M GLAD YOU HAVEN'T CHANGED EITHER
I WENT TO THE WRONG PLACE BY MISTAKE
YOU TOO, ESPADA
.....

I WONDER WHAT SONNET'S DOING NOW...
IT SEEMS THAT THE SECRET CEREMONY SUCCEEDED
I'LL TAKE RESPONSIBILITY FOR HER AND MAKE SURE SHE'S SAFE IN PLATINA
SO, YOU TWO ...
AS LONG AS SHE'S ALIVE...
.....
I'M SURE SHE'S OKAY

I DON'T WANT ANYTHING ELSE
THAT SONG ...
IT CAN'T BE...
A painful, heart-rending melody
!?
THAT VOICE ...?!
Who holds the key to breaking you?
I met a song that was just like you
The mermaid swimming at the corner of the world

If you smile, will I be able to find those shards?
SORRY, EXCUSE ME...
If you're unable to return to the past or catch up with the future
Now, my thoughts echo, They'll reach heaven
A little nervously, I shall turn into the song of the wind, and run through this world.

We will live,
embracing freedom
with both arms
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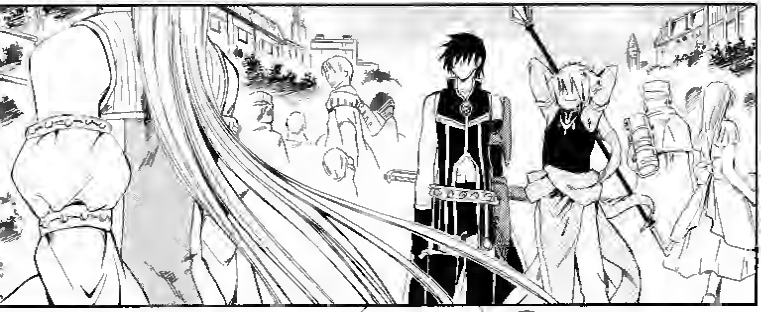
A HEAVENLY SINGING VOICE FROM PLATINA...
I'M GRATEFUL FOR IT



UMM ...
DID YOU WANT SOMETHING?
AH... NO... WELL...
.....
?

AH!
COULD IT BE... AN ENCORE?
YEAH...
PLEASE
OKAY!
Not listening to the voice telling me to stop
My single desire persisted

I don't want a way to heal my wounds
I just want the courage to accept the past
If I raised my arms towards the sky
My hope would form an arc, reaching towards the future

I will very happy to turn
into the song of light
and illuminate Ar tonelico

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TWILIGHT DREAMS SCANS

OKAY I KNOW I MADE SOME PROMISES
ABOUT THIS BEING DONE HALF A MONTH
AGO, THERE'S A REASON FOR IT.
THE TWO TYPESETTERS THAT WERE
SUPPOSE TO DO IT DISAPPEARED....

ACTUALLY I THINK I'M THE ONLY ONE LEFT
BUT ANYWAY HERE IT IS AS PROMISED.

SORRY FOR THE DELAY,
PLEASE ENJOY THE ENDING TO
THIS MANGA

TWILIGHT DREAMS SCANS

IT'S BEEN A LONG TIME COMING BUT WE FINALLY REACHED THE END....I'D LIKE TO GIVE CREDIT TO MY STAFF, OUR PARTNERS, AQUAGON THE HYMMNOS TL, AND YUKIHITO THE TRANSLATOR
WE ARE ETERNALLY GRATEFUL

~TWI

OK, THAT'S ALL
IT WAS A GREAT HONOR AND PLEASURE TO BE ABLE TO WORK ASIDE YOU
(WAS YEA RA IEEYA ETEALUNE YEHAH SOS YOR FUTARE,)

~AQUAGON

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